

# **Social Sciences Society HKUSU**

**Session 2010**



*Proposed* **Ming  
Cabinet**

# About Ming Cabinet

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The proposed cabinet name of this session's cabinet is 'to sound'.

In Chinese, 'to sound' (Ming) originally refers to the sounds of birds; this meaning could be extended as 'to speak out the voices'. 'To sound' symbolizes our Society's aim of 'speaking out the voices' for the members and even the society as a whole. According to a Chinese idiom, 'a hand cannot make any sounds by itself. Our cabinet understands exactly the importance of both representing members' voices and providing means for students of HKU, or even for the society, to express their opinions freely through various external functions organized by SSS. As the result, we hope to extend the expression of voices in the society to the greatest extent possible.

Our cabinet recognizes the remarkable relationship between social sciences and the human society and the numerous aspects of knowledge social sciences covers as an academic field. Thus, our cabinet wishes to encourage the people from all aspects to 'speak out their voices' simultaneously. By doing so, we shall maximize their advantages and promote social sciences to the society.

In extension to the meaning of speaking out the voices, the Chinese word 'to sound' has a homophone of 'to manifest'. As mentioned in the motto of HKU 'wisdom and virtue', the manifestation of virtue should be important to the society. Our cabinet shall through our work hear the social responsibility and concern towards social affairs, in order to 'speak out for the manifestation of virtue'. We wish also that students in HKU and the society would share the same voices towards social inequality, for the sake of revealing virtue. Just as the Chinese maxim 'whenever you speak out, you awaken people' states, by speaking out to society about our dreams and what we believe to be right, we shall be recognized – that is our ultimate goal.

If our cabinet is elected, we promise to try our hardest to 'speak out all voices', in order to be responsible to members and the society.

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## Overall objectives of this Session

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- To enrich the lives of members within the University
- To increase the awareness and understanding of students towards social affairs and issues

# Profiles of proposed cabinet

## Proposed Chairman

**Name:** Ronald Chan Tsz Chung

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Christian Alliance SWChan Memorial College

### Past event experiences:

- Organizer, Christian Alliance SWChan Memorial College F7 Graduation Affairs (08-09)
- President, Christian Alliance SWChan Memorial College Students' Union (07-08)
- Publicity Secretary, Christian Alliance SWChan Memorial College Community Youth Club (07-08)
- Vice-Captain, Christian Alliance SWChan Memorial College Sing House (06-07)



## Proposed Internal Vice Chairman

**Name:** Sylvie, Song Hui Qing

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Shanghai High School

### Past event experiences:

- Publicity Commissioner (06-08)
- Broadcasting Festival Executive Director and MC (06-07)
- Student Representative, The Yangtze River basin-wide protection of rare aquatic animals through human releasing (07)
- Co-coordinator, World Table Tennis Championships pen pal exchange for students (06)
- Outstanding student leader, Minhang District, Shanghai (05)



## Proposed External Vice Chairman

**Name:** Raymond, Yeung Tsz Chun

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Shatin Pui Ying College

### Past event experiences:

- Chairman, Shatin Pui Ying College Librarians Group (2007-2008, 2008-2009)
- Editor-in-chief, Shatin Pui Ying College F.7 Graduation Book Editorial Board (09)
- Committee Member, Shatin Pui Ying College Wing House (08-09)
- Chairman, Shatin Pui Ying Golf Club (05-06)



# Profiles of proposed cabinet

## **Proposed General Secretary**

**Name:** Angel, Liu Pui Ying

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Tsuen Wan Public Ho Chuen Yiu Memorial College

### **Past event experiences:**

- Chairwoman, Community Youth Club (07-08)
- Secretary, Junior Police Call: (07-08)
- Group Leader, Tsuen Wan Public Ho Chuen Yiu Memorial College Counseling Service Team(07-08)



## **Proposed Financial Secretary**

**Name:** Louis, To Yin Ting

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Work, Year 1

**Secondary School:** St. Louis School

### **Past event experiences:**

- Chairman, St. Louis School Student Guidance Team (07-08)
- Director, St. Louis School Prefect Association Discipline Network System (07-08)
- Technical Director, SL80 Thanksgiving Variety Show (07-08)



## **Proposed Marketing Secretary**

**Name:** Stephanie, Law Yun Yu

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 2

**Secondary School:** Po Chiu Catholic Secondary School

### **Past event experiences:**

- Vice-chairlady, Po Chiu Catholic Secondary School Environmental Conservancy Society (05-06)
- Chief editor, Po Chiu Catholic Secondary School 'English Post': English Society (05-06)



# Profiles of proposed cabinet

## **Proposed External Affairs Secretary**

**Name:** Andy ,Tsang On Tik

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Chan Sui Ki (LaSalle) College

### **Past event experiences:**

- Chairman, Accounting, Commerce and Economics Society (o8)



## **Proposed Current Affairs Secretary**

**Name:** Chau Wai Kin

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Po Leung Kuk 1983 Board of Directors' College

### **Past event experiences:**

- Organizer, Po Leung Kuk 1983 Board of Directors' College Shanghai Academic Exchange (o8)
- Junior Achievement Hong Kong – Company Programme Marketing Director (o8)
- House Vice-chairman, Po Leung Kuk 1983 Board of Directors' College (o7-o8)



## **Proposed Academic Secretary**

**Name:** Tony, Lau Tsz Fung

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Yew Chung International Secondary School

### **Past event experiences:**

- Assistant Captain, Yew Chung International Secondary School A Grade Basketball Team (o8-o9)
- Organizer, Yew Chung International Secondary School International Chess Competition (o8-o9)
- Member, Yew Chung International Secondary School International Chess Team (o7-o9)





# Profiles of proposed cabinet

## Proposed Publications Secretary

**Name:** Yixia Gu

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** King George V School

### Past event experiences:

- Captain, King George V School Cross Country (08-09)
- Journalist and Editor, King George V School Yearbook (08-09)
- Member, King George V School Charity Action Committee (08-09)
- Peer Support, King George V School (08-09)



## Proposed Publicity Secretary

**Name:** Yetta, Wan Tze Ying

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Shun Tak Fraternal Association Leung Kau Kiu College

### Past event experiences:

- Volunteer of 2009 East Asian Games
- Volunteer of Leo Club of Metropolitan HK (09)
- Chairperson, Shun Tak Fraternal Association Leung Kau Kiu College Economics Club (07-08)
- Shun Tak Fraternal Association Leung Kau Kiu College Treasurer of house (07-08)
- Reporter, Shun Tak Fraternal Association Leung Kau Kiu College (07-08)



## Proposed Welfare Secretary

**Name:** Amun, Chan Tsz Fung

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School

### Past event experiences:

- Editor, SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School School Newsletter(08)
- Welfare Secretary, SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School (08)
- Editor, SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School Student Report (08)
- Welfare Secretary, SKH Bishop Mok Sau Tseng Secondary School Dance Team (06)





# Profiles of proposed cabinet

## **Proposed Welfare Secretary**

**Name:** Kaye, Wong Pui Yuk

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Community College:** Community College of City University Associate of Social Science

### **Secondary School:**

Jockey Club Government Secondary School (05-07)  
St. Antonius Girls' College

### **Past event experiences:**

- Treasurer, Jockey Club Community College of City University (08-09)
- Jockey Club Government Secondary School Committee of Chinese Club (05-07)
- Jockey Club Government Secondary School Committee of Economics Club (05-07)
- Member, St. Antonius Girls' College Graduation Preparation Committee (04-05)



## **Proposed Sports Secretary**

**Name:** Carissa, Wong Chun Chun

**Curriculum:** Bachelor of Social Sciences, Year 1

**Secondary School:** Heung To Middle School

### **Past event experiences:**

- Oxfam Volunteer (08)
- Member, Heung To Middle School Student Union (07-08)
- Member, Heung To Middle School Finance Society (07-08)
- Member, Heung To Middle School Environmental Protection (06-08)



## Specific Aims and Objectives of this Session

### Internal Affairs

#### Internal Tasks:

##### Aims:

- To facilitate the friendship and communication between members and enrich their university life
- To preserve the rights of members within the Faculty

##### Duties:

- To provide a platform of communication and relationships between members
- To provide benefits and conveniences within the school environment
- To develop good relations between the Society, Faculty and Academic Societies
- To represent the members in the communication with the Faculty

#### Social Tasks:

##### Aims:

- To provide a platform of communication and good relations between members
- To provide opportunities for member friendly alliances, and to allow them to have a enjoyable university life

##### Duties:

- To organize freshmen orientation activities
- To organize social activities and enhance the academic communications through various events

#### Sports Tasks:

##### Aims:

- To promote friendly relationships between members through sporting events
- Enhance the belonging of members to the Social Sciences Society

##### Duties:

- To aid organization of inter-faculty sporting events and encourage member participation
- To update the Sports Sections
- To organize practice of the Social Sciences soccer team
- To aid the formation of a Social Sciences volleyball team

## Specific Aims and Objectives of this Session

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### Internal Affairs

#### Welfare Tasks:

##### Aims:

- To understand and bring necessary welfares to members according to their needs
- To bring discounts and benefits to the members

##### Duties:

- To organize second-hand book sales
- To maintain and increase the services provided by the Society room
- To understand the needs of members through questionnaires and interviews
- To follow up on products sold within the Society room, and come up with new product ideas
- To maintain the provision of Joint-soc Jetso card welfares towards members
- To organize the Welfare Week

## Specific Aims and Objectives of this Session

### External Affairs

#### External Tasks:

##### Aims:

- To represent the voice of members outside of the Faculty
- To encourage Hong Kong University students to be aware of social affairs and issues
- To deepen the understanding of Hong Kong University students towards the study of social sciences

##### Duties:

- To organize and hold the Annual Social Science Festival
- To organize and hold exhibitions regarding social sciences
- To organize and hold the social science experience camp
- To organize and hold forums regarding current and social affairs
- To update the Current Affairs board
- To represent the Society in the Student Union Council

#### Current Affairs tasks:

##### Aims:

- To through the holding of current affair related events provoke Society members, university students and people in society, to probe further into current events and happenings

##### Duties:

- To discuss current issues and provide commentary
- To provide opportunities of opinion expression for students

#### Academic tasks:

##### Aims:

- To stimulate the interest of university students to study social sciences
- To enhance the understanding of students to the academic system of the faculty

##### Duties:

- To hold academic related exhibitions
- To promote the academic system of the faculty to high school students

## Specific Aims and Objectives of this Session

### General Affairs

#### General tasks:

##### Aims:

- Through various mediums facilitate the smooth running of all events and affairs

##### Duties:

- To keep correspondence and past reports
- To keep minutes of the meetings
- To prepare the annual report
- To book venues
- To borrow facilities/equipment

#### Financial tasks:

##### Aims:

- To balance the various aspects of the financial budget
- To ensure the appropriate distribution of resources
- To control and regulate the expenditure and deficits of the Society

##### Duties:

- To create the financial budget and report
- To balance finance from different aspects
- To control and balance the budget and expenditures
- To keep Society financial records

#### Marketing tasks:

##### Aims:

- To obtain the necessary and suitable sponsoring and resources

##### Duties:

- To plan, organize, and work related to marketing

#### Publicity tasks:

##### Aims:

- To promote events and activities of the Society
- To encourage the target groups to actively participate in the events and activities

# Specific Aims and Objectives of this Session

## General Affairs

General Affairs

### Publications tasks:

#### Aims:

- To allow a podium of expression for members
- To enhance the understanding and acknowledgement of readers towards social sciences and the Society
- To maintain a two way understanding between the members and the Faculty

#### Duties:

- To publish all main publications and ~~sepeial~~ special feature articles of the society

special

# Brief overview of events throughout the year

## Internal Affairs:

### Beginning of semester gathering (January)

Aims: To enhance communication amongst members in a relaxing atmosphere

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested date: Mid-January

Suggested location: Chong Yuet Ming Amenities Room 105

Suggested content: Provision of light snacks and drinks

Sharing of experiences and opinions of the Social Sciences curriculum and tutors

Person-in-charge: Law Yun Yu (Proposed marketing secretary)

### Inauguration Party: (Mid-January)

Aims: - To introduce Social Science Faculty administrative members and teaching staff, members of the Society, current Society executive committee members, and other Faculty executive committee members to the 2010 Session Society executive members

- To enhance the communications between the 2010 Society executive members between the Faculty, current Society members and other Faculty executive committee members

- To hold an occasion symbolizing the inauguration of a new session of Society executive members

Target group: The Dean, administrative staff and members of the Faculty, Faculty students, current Society executive members, other Faculty executive members

Suggested date: Mid-January

Suggested location: K. K. Leung Concourse

Suggested content: Provision of light snacks and drinks

Sharing of experiences and opinions of the Social Sciences curriculum and tutors

Person-in-charge: Song Hui Qing (Proposed Internal Vice-Chairman)

### Secondhand book sell : (January, September)

Aims: To provide conveniences for members to buy secondhand books

Target group: Society members

Suggested date: January and September

Suggested location: K.K. Leung Concourse

Suggested content: Collection of student secondhand books and selling to students who need

Person-in-charge: Chan Tsz Fung (Proposed Welfare Secretary)

### Dean's Forum (February)

Aims: To strengthen connections and communication between Society members and the

Faculty

Target: members of Social Sciences Society, HKUSU

Proposed Time: February

Proposed Location: K.K. Leung Concourse

Proposed content: To invite our Dean to introduce the recent situation and



## Brief overview of events throughout the year

### Internal Affairs:

#### **Dean's Forum (February)**

Aims: To strengthen connections and communication between Society members and the

Faculty

Target: members of Social Sciences Society, HKUSU

Proposed Time: February

Proposed Location: K.K. Leung Concourse

Proposed content: To invite our Dean to introduce the recent situation and develop plan of the faculty. Also to let the faculty and members exchange opinions

Person-in-charge: Song Hui Qing (Proposed Internal Vice-Chairman)

#### **Super-pass Festival: (End of April)**

Aims: To provide encouragement to Society members facing examinations

Target: members of Social Sciences Society

Proposed Time: End of April

Proposed Location: Society room

Proposed content: Wishing boards, Superpass Lai See, Cutting roast pork, Pass-4 Balloons, extension of Society room opening hours

Person-in-charge: Wong Pui Yuk (Proposed Social Secretary)

## Brief overview of events throughout the year

### Internal Affairs:

#### Sports Gathering: (Whole Year)

Aims: To enhance the relationships between Society members through leisure and sports activities

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested date: Once every three months

Suggested content: Bowling, Cycling, BBQ etc

Person-in-charge: Wong Chun Chun (Proposed Sports Secretary)

#### Inter-faculty Competition : (Whole Year)

Aims: To through sporting competition support members representing the Society, and enhance the

relationship between Society members

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested date: Whole year

Suggested location: Sports avenues such as Stanley Ho Sports Centre and Flora Ho Sports Centre

Suggested content: To participate in popular sports such as Basketball, Soccer, Badminton and Volleyball

Person-in-charge: Wong Chun Chun (Proposed Sports Secretary)

#### Social Sciences Ball Teams: (Whole Year)

Aims: To enhance relationships between Society members through the formation of ball teams and

regular practices

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested date: Practice once a month

Suggested location: Sports avenues such as Stanley Ho Sports Centre and Flora Ho Sports Centre

Suggested content: To continue to expand membership of Men's Football team, and form a Women's

Volleyball Team

Person-in-charge: Wong Chun Chun (Proposed Sports Secretary)

## Brief overview of events throughout the year

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Internal Affairs

### Internal Affairs:

#### Sports Board: (Whole Year)

Aims: To publicize sporting events and happenings throughout the year

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested date: Practice once a month

Suggested location: K.K. Leung Concourse display board

Suggested content: Inter-faculty competition schedules

Introduction to sporting events

Posters and photos regarding Society sporting events

Person-in-charge: Wong Chun Chun (Proposed Sports Secretary)

## Brief overview of events throughout the year

### Internal Affairs:

#### Orientation Series: (Beginning of August)

##### **1. Freshmen Information Day:**

Aims: To aid freshmen in the registration procedures and to allow them to have an

understanding about the Society

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested date: Beginning of August

Suggested content: Assistance in registration procedures and provide guidance of admission  
Introduction of members to the Society  
Publicize orientation series.

Person-in-charge: Chan Tsz Fung ( Proposed Welfare Secretary)

##### **2. Freshmen Orientation Day:**

Aims: To allow members to meet new friends, and learn more about the campus

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested content: Group games and campus orientation

Person-in-charge: Wong Chun Chun ( Proposed Sports Secretary)

##### **3. Freshmen Orientation camp:**

Aims: To strengthen friendly relations between freshmen and allow them to taste university life

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested content: Group games, Hong Kong orientation, Campfire activities, Mock society games

Person-in-charge: Wong Pui Yuk ( Proposed Social Secretary)

#### High Table Dinner: (Mid-September)

Aims: -To provide opportunities for members to meet and learn from distinguished persons in society, thus broadening their visions

- To allow members to experience the traditions of High Table Dinner and pave the way for their entering of society

Target group: Members of the Social Sciences Society

Suggested date: Mid -September

Suggested Location: Loke Yew Hall

Person-in-charge: Song Hui Qing ( Proposed Internal Vice-Chairman)

## Brief overview of events throughout the year

### External Affairs

#### **“Lao Tzu and the Market Force” Exhibition (February)**

Aims: To provoke students' interests towards Social Sciences  
 Target group: Students in the University of Hong Kong  
 Suggested date: 2010 Beginning of February  
 Suggested location: Run Run Shaw Podium  
 Suggested content: Boards exhibiting the outtake of Lao Tzu and Adam Smith on social affairs, and through this display a comparison between Lao Tzu's political thought and current marketplace theories  
 Person-in-charge: Lau Tze Fung (Proposed Academic Secretary)

#### **Social Sciences Festival (March)**

Aims: To promote the study of Social Sciences within the University  
 Theme: Dictatorship  
 Target group: Students in the University of Hong Kong  
 Suggested date: 2010 Mid-March to End of March  
 Person-in-charge: Yeung Tsz Chun (Proposed External Vice-Chairman)

#### **1. “ Does the long-term economic development in China need dictatorship or freedom?” Forum**

Aims: To enhance the understanding of students towards economic development in China  
 Target group: Students in the University of Hong Kong  
 Suggested location: Sun Yat Sen Place  
 Suggested content: -Invitation of Economic professors and current affairs commentators for discussion in the forum  
                               -Inclusion of an audience Q & A section  
 Person-in-charge: Tsang On Tik (Proposed External Affairs Secretary)

#### **2. [ 2010 Mock Universal Suffrage—the fight between dictatorship and democracy ] Elections forum**

Aims: To enhance the understanding of students towards ideas of democracy and dictatorship  
 Target group: Students in the University of Hong Kong  
 Suggested location: Sun Yat Sen Place  
 Suggested content: Invitation of the University of Hong Kong Chinese Debating team to take on the roles of dictators and pro-democratic figures, and engage in a mock elections forum  
 Person-in-charge: Chau Wai Kin (Proposed Current Affairs Secretary)

## Brief overview of events throughout the year

### External Affairs

#### **Social Sciences Festival (March)**

##### **3. "Dictatorship-Democracy wall" Exhibition**

Aims: To promote the exchange of ideas between student regarding dictatorships

Target group: Students in the University of Hong Kong

Suggested location: Run Run Shaw Podium

Suggested content: To engage student responses by voicing the claims of different dictators

Person-in-charge: Chau Wai Kin (Proposed Current Affairs Secretary)

##### **4. "Dictators in the modern world" Special Features Publication**

Aims: To engage the readers to be more aware of forms of dictatorship and its effects in society within different countries and stimulate their reflection towards the situation of freedoms and democracy in China and Hong Kong

Target group: Students in the University of Hong Kong

No. of Publications: Three Hundred

Suggested content: - Special Feature introduction of different country dictatorships

- Interviewing society members and university professors on their outlook

Suggested means of distribution: Distribution counters within the university  
Giving them out to members by hand

Person-in-charge: Gu Yixia (Proposed Current Affairs Secretary)

Publications

## Brief overview of events throughout the year

### External Affairs

#### **“Cultural Expectation: Working Opportunities” Exhibition (October)**

Aims: To allow students to be more aware of minority discrimination and related social issues

within Hong Kong

Target group: Form Six students (Approx. 60)

Suggested date: 2010 Mid-October

Suggested location: Run Run Shaw Podium

Suggested content: Provide opinions and experiences of minority workers and social persons regarding discrimination at work

Person-in-charge: Tsang On Tik (Proposed External Affairs Secretary)

#### **Current Affairs Board (Whole Year)**

Aims: To enhance member understanding of current affairs and continue their concern about

society

Target group: Students in the University of Hong Kong

Suggested date: Whole Year

Suggested location: K. K. Leung Concourse Displayboard

Suggested content: Current affairs commentary, discussions and opinions

Person-in-charge: Chau Wai Kin (Proposed Current Affairs Secretary)



## Brief overview of events throughout the year

### General Affairs

#### Secondhand book sell : (January, September)

Aims: To provide conveniences for members to buy secondhand books

Target group: Society members

Suggested date: January and September

Suggested location: K.K. Leung Concourse

Suggested content: Collection of student secondhand books and selling to students who need

Person-in-charge: Chan Tsz Fung (Proposed Welfare Secretary)

#### Voice: (February)

Aims: To enhance members understanding of the study of Social Sciences and its connection with society

Target group: Society members

Suggested date: February

No. of publications: Seven hundred

Suggested distribution method: Electronic copy

Special counter in Society room

Person-in-charge: Gu Yixia (Proposed Publications Secretary)

#### Annual Journal: (October)

Aims: To review events and happenings related to Hong Kong since the 60th year establishment of China

Target group: Society members

Suggested date: Mid-November

Suggested content: - Chinese student movements and their influences on society

-Discussion of the contribution made by the younger generation in Hong Kong society

-Review of the major events and happening of the Session

No. of Publications: Seven Hundred

Suggested distribution method: -Electronic version

- Special counter in the Society room

- Distribution in information day package of freshmen in the upcoming year

Person-in-charge: Gu Yixia (Proposed Publications Secretary)

# Year Plan

Month	Event
Whole Year	Social Sciences Society ball team Sports Gathering Inter-faulty Sporting Competitions Current Affairs Board Sports Board
January	Beginning of semester gathering Secondhand booksale Inauguration Party
February	"Lao Tzu and the marketplace" exhibition Dean's Forum Voice I (Publication)
March	Social Sciences Festival
April	Superpass Festival
May	
June	
July	
August	Orientation Series
September	High Table Dinner Secondhand Booksale
October	"Cultural Expectation: Working Opportunities" Exhibition
November	Annual Journal Superpass Festival